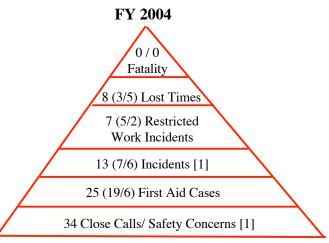
## LaRC SAFETY HIGHLIGHTS

March 15, 2004



Total Cases (civil servant/contractor)
[] = Number of new occurrences

OSHA Recordable Cases = Fatalities, Lost Time, Incidents, and Restricted Work Incidents.

Incidents = Cases in which more than first aid treatment is required, but less than 8 hours of time is lost.

Restricted Work Incidents = Cases requiring first aid treatment, resulting in light duty restrictions.

Close Calls and Safety Concerns may be viewed at: http://safety.larc.nasa.gov/OSFAHomePageStuff/osma\_docs/SafetyConcerns.xls

## **Injury/Mishap Information**

- The Center has been 24 days without a Civil Servant or Contractor Lost Time Injury. (Record 433 days)
- OSHA Recordable Incident An Unisys employee sustained a head laceration while leaning back in an office chair, tipping the chair over. The employee's head struck a metal strip affixed to a wall panel. Prescription strength medication was administered and sutures were required. No defects to the chair were found.



**Physical Collision Hazards** - Collision hazards are caused by low overheads or objects that protrude into work areas and passageways. Examples of collision hazards are piping, wiring conduits, and other structural components. These hazards should be removed, cushioned, and/or identified with caution tape, when possible, to eliminate the possibility of employees injuring themselves.



**Weekly Video Schedule -** March 15-19, 2004 - No Going Back; Back at work; Housekeeping - It Ain't Like the Movies; Working Around Cranes; and Working Around Forklifts.